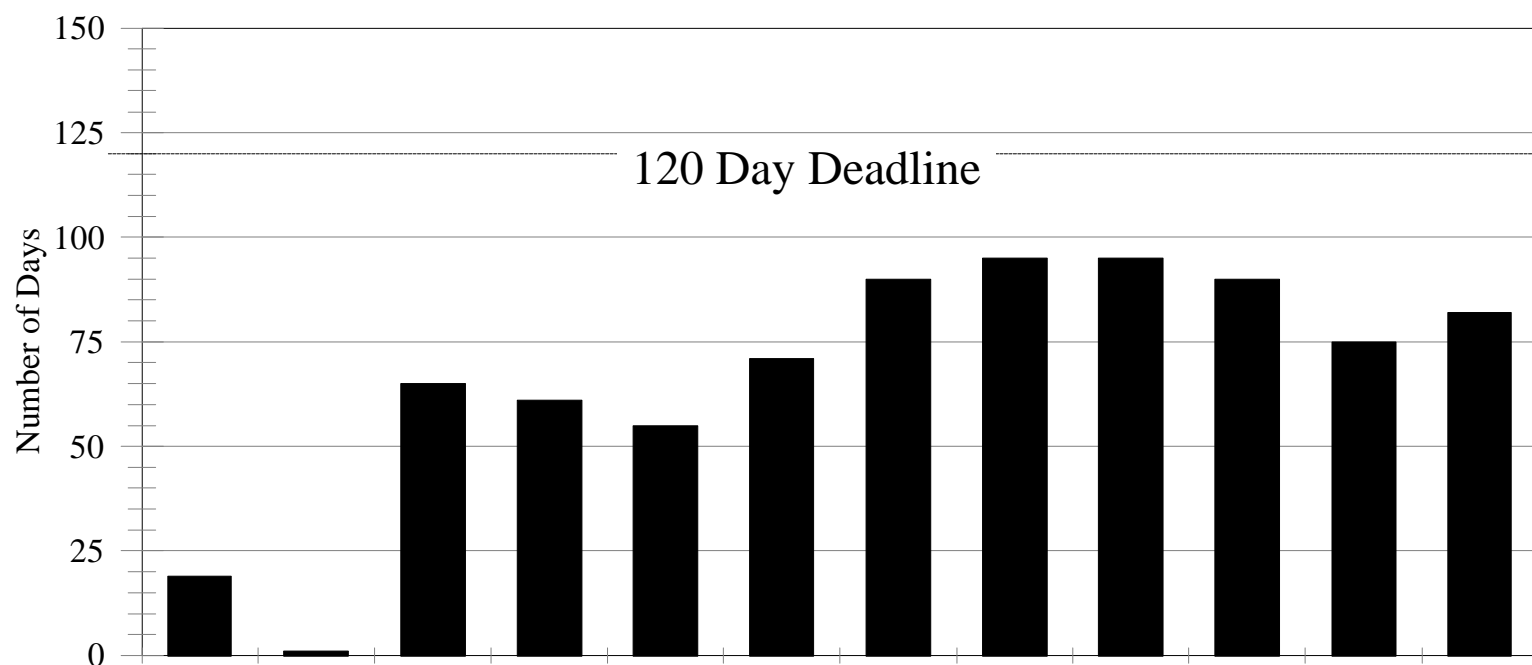


# Office of Air Management

## New Construction/Permit Modifications\*

### Median Number of Days to Issue Final Decisions



Applications	Jan '99	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Totals
Median # of Days to Issue	19	1	65	61	55	71	90	95	95	90	75	82	
#Final Decisions Past Deadline	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
#Applications Received	12	17	21	15	16	21	20	19	13	20	18	9	201
#Final Decisions Issued	3	3	6	7	8	14	13	13	19	22	17	23	148
Applications Pending	32	46	61	69	77	84	91	97	94	92	93	79	

Includes: Interim Construction Permits, Exemptions, applications for Registrations or permits to construct "new" sources also seeking Minor State Operating Permits (MSOPs), Federally Enforceable State Operating Permits (FESOPs), Title V Operating Permits TVOPS), Federal Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD), and Federal Offset Construction Permits, as well as requests for Significant Modifications to MSOPs, FESOPs, and TVOPs.

\* Under air permitting rules effective December 25, 1998, applications for permits to modify existing facilities, which previously were referred to as construction permits, now are referred to as amendments or modifications to existing operating permits, while the term construction permit only applies to "new construction/operation" permits. Subsequent to the rule change, the Office of Air Management also is revising its tracking system. As a result, this chart will be presented simultaneously with the "State Air Construction Permits Being Processed Under the Previous Rule" chart , and ultimately will replace that chart altogether. As before, historical data will continue to change as the permitting level of applications under preliminary review are revised to reflect the appropriate level of review.